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IN QUOTES

"We will stop this runway expansion from going forward in a legal way. We're not doing anything illegal."
Paul MacInnes.

"Neither are we."
Deputy-reeve Tom Gardner.

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Matt James/TIMES

Flying high

Kade Bain can see his house in Eagle Lake during his Young Eagles flight on Saturday. The Stanhope Airport hosted the popular event for first-time fliers over the weekend. Story and photos on page 24.

Minden gets $1M present

by CHAD INGRAM
Times Staff

Minden Hills received another sesquicentennial birthday present last week when a grant application to pay for the second phase of the township's Riverwalk project was approved by the Build Canada Fund.

Under the fund, the federal and provincial governments will pay for two thirds of the $1.56-million project, which will include an extension of the existing Riverwalk pathway to the Minden Hills Cultural Centre, the addition of a boardwalk along the Gull River and a floating bridge/dock that will be used as a snowmobile crossing in the winter and the dock in the summer, among other improvements.

MP Barry Devolin and MPP Rick Johnson made the funding announcement Friday and Minden Hills Reeve Jim McMahon said he was delighted by the news.

"It's exciting; it's great," McMahon said Monday, a smile still pasted on his face. "Money like this means we can bring things into reality."

see SESQUICENTENNIAL *page 8*

Treetops come with $500,000 pricetag

by CHAD INGRAM
Times Staff

Algonquin Highlands must pay a Dysart et al resident half a million dollars if it wants to access his trees, he says.

Andrew Kuzyk made the request as a counteroffer to the $10,000 sum the township had previously offered him for vegetation rights on his property, which abuts the Stanhope Airport along its eastern boundary.

Old-growth trees on Kuzyk's 3.5-acre property must be topped – trimmed by up to 13 metres – to accommodate the safe operation of the planned 1,220-metre crosswind runway at the airport.

"It is acknowledged that my property, located . . . in the Township of Dysart et al, contains obstacles that conflict with the safe operation of the newly proposed crosswind expansion run-

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Police chase stolen car

A 32-year-old Barrie man has been charged with a number of offences including theft under $5,000, possession of stolen property under $5,000, dangerous driving and evading police after a vehicle was stolen from the Minden area on the afternoon of June 5.

Officers from the Haliburton Highlands OPP located the vehicle southbound on Hwy. 35 near Moore Falls but the driver failed to stop for police and sped off.

The vehicle was eventually stopped near Beachli Lane in the City of Kawartha Lakes.

School bus accident

The Haliburton Highlands OPP are investigating a school bus crash that happened on Friday night on Swinson Road in Minden Hills.

The driver of the bus, a 47-year-old Georgetown man, was taken to the Minden hospital with non-life-threatening injuries.

The Minden Hills Volunteer Fire Department and EMS crews also attended the crash.

Matt James/TIMES

Haliburton, Kawartha Lakes, Brock MP Barry Devolin, Hydro One customer operations manager Boyd Knox, and Kinark Outdoor Centre business manager Carmen Hanak stand in front of the new accessible dock paid for by a $10,000 grant from Hydro One.

Dock leads to accessibility

Hydro One gave $10,000 to the Kinark Outdoor Centre to construct and install a fully accessible fishing dock at Kinark's waterfront. Kinark officially launched the dock on Saturday, June 6, with many commnuity supporters in tow, including Minden Hydro One manager of operations, Boyd Knox, and MP Barry Devolin.

This dock will give everyone a chance to fish and enjoy the beautiful waterfront.

"Next to swimming, fishing is by far the most popular activity at our centre and is considered by our staff to be a primary theraputic intervention," says director Jim McHardy.

"The sense of achievement, the joy of the experience, and the social growth opportunity that comes from catching a fish is huge. It is particularly a significant experience for those who have never had the chance to fish before, for those who face physical, developmental and behavioural challenges, for individuals reintegrating back into society, and for youth who have not had much success in their life. The contribution from Hydro One has allowed us to construct a dock that will enable so many more individuals the chance for these experiences."

This dock is one of many infrastructure improvements the Kinark Outdoor Centre is undertaking in their new initiative, Creating a Climate for Change, where environmental and energy efficient retro fitting and new construction projects are underway.

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Old student shares new rhythms

Professional drummer Max Senitt returns to HHSS to put a little Latin flare in band's music

by **MARTHA PERKINS**
Times Staff

"Well, can we do it tonight?"

Silence has fallen on the music room at Haliburton Highlands Secondary School. Max Senitt has hit the last note of a cha-cha version of the song Blue Monk on his Guiro and, smiling, he turns to the teenaged members of the Red Hawk Improv Combo. Did they think they were ready to perform the Thelonius Monk classic later that night with Senitt's band at the Northern Lights Pavilion?

The students' silence contains a mixture of both nervousness and confidence. The song they'd just played after an afternoon workshop with Senitt's Latin band sounded quite good. Senitt had shown them how to put a new twist on an old favourite and the result had been a lot of fun.

It was a pretty cool experience for Senitt, too. Nineteen years ago, he walked into the music room as a Grade 9 student who cared about little else other than music. His teacher was Tom Regina, who was also starting his first year at HHSS.

Senitt sheepishly admits that he wasn't the best student. (Regina says of his former student, "Max could keep time. He was the drummer that he marched to.") But during those years in Regina's music class, Senitt discovered that it was one thing to love music; it was quite another to learn how to play it well.

"In school you realize you can actually learn more about music," the 33-year-old percussionist says. "Once I realized it was what I wanted to do [in life], I had to put some effort in it."

Senitt grew up in Carnarvon where his mother, Cathy, had founded Senitt Puppets, the company that gave the world Wrinkles dolls and Domer the Sky Dome turtle. Creativity came naturally to Max.

Today he's a professional musician who makes his base in Toronto. On Friday night he was at the Northern Lights Pavilion to perform with his band. He invited the Red Hawk Improv Combo to join them on Blue Monk.

The students had played Blue Monk as a swing piece. They spent Friday afternoon learning how to infuse it with Latin rhythms.

"They're already interested in changing the rhythmic personality of a piece," Regina says. "The pros do it all the time to inject new life into a tired part of their repertoire."

Martha Perkins/TIMES

Max Senitt admits that he wasn't the best student when he attended Haliburton Highlands Secondary School. But when he returned last Friday to give a workshop to the Red Hawk Improv Combo, he proved he was a good teacher. At left, he provides percussion on his Guiro while observing Owen Duhaime's drumming technique. Teacher Tom Regina, who once taught Senitt, praised Senitt's ability to help students learn how to infuse old standards with new rhythms.

Above, saxophonist Mike Wark, a member of Max Senitt Y Sus Amigos, gives a few pointers to Joe Ferracuti on drums.

Regina was particularly pleased with the one-on-one lessons the students got with members of Max Senitt Y Sus Amigos – Mike Wark on saxophone, Dustin Shaskin on bass and Jacek Karlowski on guitar. "They have a more intimate knowledge of their instruments" and know how to use the instrument to change a song's texture."

He later said Friday night's concert was "awesome."

"Max's playing was riveting and the group played beautiful, compelling music," Regina says. "The kids were amazed, astounded, astonished, as were all the audience members."

Night of Water Music shares the Highlands' bounty

by **CHAD INGRAM**
Times Staff

A fundraiser at Carnarvon's Zion United Church this Saturday will attempt to provide clean drinking water for impoverished families in India.

Water Music, a concert to raise money for Help A Village Effort (HAVE), will be held at the church on June 13.

For about $1,500 in Canadian currency, a well can be drilled in an Indian village to provide its residents with clean, drinking water, said event organizer Fred Chapple.

"It's small communities helping small communities," Chapple said.

Chapple also said for every dollar the fundraiser makes, the government will pledge $3 towards the cause.

The show will feature accomplished pianist and master of many genres Greg Hamilton, local trio the Tri-Vocals, Minden rock and country performer Gord Kidd, as well as a 50/50 draw and free refreshments.

The night of the concert, four Walks for Water fundraisers are taking place – two in B.C. and two in Newfoundland – and Chapple said updates on their success would be given to the crowd in Carnarvon throughout the night.

In Haliburton County, there is no longer an annual Walk for Water. Instead, individuals and groups are encouraged to do their own challenge to raise money for the made-in-Haliburton volunteer group.

For tickets or more information on the event, call Joan Chapple at 489-2755.

The show starts at 7 p.m.

Chad Ingram/TIMES

Camp Day at Tim Hortons

Ziggy the Clown, far left, was washing windshields and performing tricks outside Minden's Tim Hortons during the chain's Camp Day on June 3. On Camp Day, all coffee proceeds from Tim Hortons stores throughout North America go to the Tim Hortons Children's Foundation, which sends thousands of underprivileged children to camp each summer. Kelly Graham, left, uses darts to break balloons as she plays one of the many games that were set up outside the coffee shop. Above, employees Lynn Simmons, left, and Leeann Marcovitz go fishin'.

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Algonquin Highlands to enhance police presence

by **CHAD INGRAM**
Times Staff

Algonquin Highlands councillors are taking steps to make their township a safer place.

At a meeting June 4, councillors voted to give the OPP's enhanced police visibility program a year's trial.

The program uses paid duty officers for extra patrols in communities, on waterways and on trails; officers may be on foot, in cruisers, in boats or on ATVs or bicycles.

The idea was discussed by members of the Haliburton Highlands Community Policing Advisory Committee (CPAC) at a recent meeting with Haliburton Highlands OPP Staff Sgt. Malcom Quigley.

The OPP would like to implement the program on a countywide basis and if the county's four lower-tier municipalities all agree to sign up, the cost will be $2,500 per township.

"It's a great thing to try out and see how we go," said Deputy-reeve Tom Gardner, who is also a CPAC member.

Gardner said the program is utilized by the City of Kawartha Lakes and that councillors there are so pleased with its effectiveness they are spending $54,000 in extra policing this year.

There was some question over how much extra police presence $2,500 would really afford. One councillor said she didn't know if the township should be paying extra for policing.

"Why should we have to pay for more coverage when there is already not enough?" asked Councillor Carol Moffatt, who said she feels the county is already under-serviced by the OPP.

She didn't believe these kinds of extra patrols would help decrease the sort of vandalism that has been occurring near Boshkung and Kushog lakes, with a string of cottage break-ins last month.

Councillor Diane Griffin wanted to know who would make the decision as to when and where the extra policing could be used and Gardner said recommendations could be made to him to take back to CPAC.

Moffatt was adamant that these extra patrols should be conducted in areas not covered by regular police patrols.

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EDITORIALCOMMENT

Olive branch

Algonquin Highlands councillors should strongly consider the suggestion made to them by Maple, Beech and Cameron Lakes Area Property Owners' Association president Paul MacInnes during their meeting last week.

Actually, scratch that.

They should act on the suggestion made to them by MacInnes at last week's meeting.

In a well thought-out, well articulated and rational presentation to council on June 4, MacInnes suggested councillors reduce the scope of the Stanhope Airport project to include simply a rehabilitation of the existing runway and abandon plans for a 1,220-metre crosswind runway at the site.

Should council do this, MacInnes said his association would not only call off the dogs by ceasing its burgeoning legal fight against the township, but also put its membership's support behind the revised project.

The association's membership consists of nearly 300 families and MacInnes has a list of some 2,000 people who not only oppose an expansion at the airport, but many of whom are willing to help pay the association's legal bills.

This isn't a bluff. This isn't a game of chicken.

These people are angry and they mean business.

Surely councillors must see this.

MacInnes is confident that since there are only 16 or so months before the next municipal election, a legal fight would tie things up long enough to stop the expansion from happening and Reeve Eleanor Harrison even conceded at last week's meeting that time is on MacInnes's side.

Are council members really willing to spend taxpayers' dollars on a legal fight to promote a project most residents don't want and that in all likelihood will end after a municipal election next fall?

To do that seems not only wasteful, but also stubborn and frankly, arrogant.

A simple vote by council could put an end to what is becoming an increasingly controversial and convoluted situation.

Surely councillors must see this.

And the mounting legal fight with the association is just one complication.

There's also the issue of a Dysart et al property owner whose trees must be topped to allow for the operation of the planned crosswind runway and who wants half a million dollars if Algonquin Highlands is to touch his trees.

Dealings with this individual are no doubt heading for the courtroom as well.

Surely councillors must see this and surely they must see that they are not representing the will of their constituents on this issue.

It was funny last week when Deputy-reeve Tom Gardner accused MacInnes of using the slowness of the legal system to "pervert" democracy.

This was funny, ironic even, because it is now MacInnes, not Gardner, nor any of the other council members supporting the airport expansion, who represents the will of the people of this issue.

Surely councillors must see this.

Chad Ingram

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TOTHEEDITOR

Times readers write

Runway a waste of dollars

To the Editor:

Reading the May 27 *Times* regarding airport protest by Outloud Womyn's Voices, Algonquin Highlands Reeve Eleanor Harrison allegedly told the protesters in attendance at the council meeting that the present runway at the airport is bordering on unsafe in the eyes of Ministry of Transportation, and if improvements are not made to the airport a fatality would likely occur sooner or later.

If this is true then why is the airport still promoting flying activities such as fly-ins, and Young Eagle flights, putting young people and pilots at risk of a serious accident or fatality?

I have been in attendance at another meeting where the reeve stated that if they don't build the new proposed runway she would rather close the airport rather than repave the existing runway. The wind is rarely in line with the new runway so it will have safety issues as well. Now they want the rights to people's properties for 100 years so the township can whack down a bunch of trees any time they want even in an environmentally sensitive area.

All this fuss so 20 or so people can play with their toys. Why don't the Algonquin Highlands road crews just patch the runway like they do our roads that we have to drive on everyday and spend the money on more worthwhile projects.

Bas Bouthoorn
Algonquin Highlands

InOtherWords

Columns and Letters to the Editor

Stall tactics

Beyond35

Steve Galea

THE QUESTION "Is it okay to talk to the person using the urinal beside you?" was posed on a website the other day. And, for once, I never even looked to see the survey result.

That's because years of urinal use have taught me a thing or two about etiquette in public washrooms. Simply put, once at a urinal, a man should look straight ahead, say nothing, and think of Niagara Falls. If you ask me, there's little else to that needs to be said on the matter. That's the way it has been ever since the first two Neanderthals decided to pee, shoulder to shoulder, against the cave wall.

Yet there are those who would mar the sanctity of the public urinal by trying to chat about the weather, sports, the quality of service at the venue, or a variety of other trivial things. I have personally experienced this and, I can tell you in no uncertain terms that it is wrong. My immediate response is increased muscle pressure on the bladder so I can get out of there as quickly as possible.

The last thing I want to do at a time like this is talk. Talking, especially if the person says something interesting, might force me to look over accidentally – and I most assuredly do not want to do this. In my opinion, urinal areas should be under the same code as libraries – you should be able to hear a pin drop. Which, if you think about it, is an important thing to be able to hear while in a urinal.

Time at a urinal should be introspective. This is no place to strike up a friendship or learn an interesting fact. This is no place to learn more about your fellow man.

Of course, there are worse offences than talking. There's the guy who chooses to dock at the urinal right beside you, even though there are several open stalls along the wall. This is even worse if you are in a corner stall.

That person is putting both parties at unnecessary risk. What if either of you experience a sudden dizzy spell? Remember how tough it was to dodge a sprinkler when you were a kid?

There are very few good reasons to utter even a single word to the man beside you at the urinal. Unlike women, men do not make pilgrimages to the urinal to find like-minded spirits. No, we go to seek solitude and to retreat, if only for a little while, from the stresses of everyday life.

If you must speak, however, stick to the time-honoured scripts, such as:

"The water is cold."

That will give the recipient the opportunity to reply with:

"And deep too."

After that, nothing needs to be said.

Luckily, most men of character know this.

Last weekend, while at my brother's wedding, I visited the urinal. My cousin, a fellow I truly like and have not seen in 15 years, walked in as I was going about my business.

But, despite all the things we had to catch up upon, he simply picked a stall as far away as he could, faced the wall, and went about his business. Or so I assume, since I was doing the same.

For a short time, you could hear a pin drop in that washroom. I can't tell you how relieved I was.

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Can Jiggs read minds?

BackofBeyond

Neil Campbell

Once upon a time, in a parking lot outside a fast-food joint near North Bay, I met a dog who was dying of a broken heart.

My memory of both breed and colour are long gone, but I do recall that though she was without obvious physical defects, she had withdrawn from the world.

There was no greeting for a new human friend who reached out a hand to her, no sign either of warmth or of hostility, no response even to the sound of her owner's voice.

The brother she had lived with her all her life had died weeks before we met and still she was inconsolable. She had no appetite, no wags, no anything, her owner said.

A veterinarian could find no physical reason for her sadness. She was pining away for her lost brother, getting ready to die, letting sorrow have its way with her.

Her condition was not so different from that of the human widowers we hear of whose grief over their lost spouse leads them to follow her to an early grave.

All of us have met or heard of grieving dogs made sad by deaths in their families, and yet a recent issue of *Dogs in Canada* magazine announced that scientists had only just discovered what we could see for ourselves, that dogs are capable of mourning.

It is yet another clue that dogs are not so different from us after all. Or, more correctly, that we humans are only one more animal species and that all of the capabilities we once believed are peculiar to us are not.

The Brown Dog Jiggs certainly can smell and run and hear better that I can, but I am capable of all of those things in some lesser degree. So why should it be so surprising that dogs share at least some of our capacity for remembering and feeling and for problem-solving?

It took Jiggs about three walks on a leash with an unschooled owner to teach himself how to retreat and go back around a tree on the other side when we got hung up.

Science might say that his solution was a fitting together of instinctive behaviours, a wedding of genetic inheritances, but why shouldn't that be just as true of human problem solving?

There is supposed to be a command structure in dog-human interactions but mostly what dogs do is try to please us by responding to the sounds we make and then let us think we are in charge.

"You can't come with me" was never taught to Jiggs as a command and yet those words, or the way I speak them, make The Brown Dog spin away from my doorway and go back into my cabin.

Some dog behaviours surpass all human understanding. Everybody has heard stories of dogs who go to the door to wait for owners still miles away from home.

Most days, at times both unpredictable and inconsistent, a special treat comes out of my refrigerator for The Brown Dog.

He must hear me making up my mind because, though he may have ignored a dozen openings of the fridge door that day, there is something about the sound of it opening for the treat that brings him out of a deep sleep and on a dead run from the other end of the cabin.

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from page 8

McMahon said Minden Hills staff members were already drawing up requests for proposals to be sent out to consulting and engineering firms who may wish to work on the project.

The first phase of the Riverwalk project is just winding up and its crowning gem, a steel-and-wood footbridge across the Gull River, was installed just a couple weeks ago. McMahon said that it had been the goal of his council three years ago to at least get the Riverwalk project off the ground but said he had never dreamed it would come so far, so quickly.

"What a sesquicentennial year this is going to be for Minden," he said.

Minden Hills was not the only local winner in last week's funding announcement. The county's three other townships, as well as the county itself, were all approved for projects under the either the Build Canada or Infrastructure Stimulus funds.

Algonquin Highlands was approved for $225,000 towards generators and improvements to the McClintock sewage lagoon estimated to cost between $90,000 and $120,000; Highlands East was approved for $750,000 to upgrade a portion of Hadlington Road; Dysart et al was approved for a $373,000 project to rehabilitate part of Haliburton Lake Road and a $120,000 project for upgrades for the West Guilford Community Centre; and Haliburton County was approved for nearly $3-million worth of infrastructure projects on Glamorgan Road, County Road 1 and County Road 503.

Minden Hills also applied for water and sewer system improvements along Bobcaygeon Road. McMahon asked Johnson why the application had not been successful and said Johnson would be getting back to him.

Chad Ingram/TIMES

Minden Hills Reeve Jim McMahon stands on the recently installed footbridge that is the crowning gem of the first phase of the township's Riverwalk project. Last week the township learned it will receive money from the Building Canada Fund to complete the project' $1.5-million second phase.

Clarification

In last week's Times, it was reported that Minden Hills township was applying for a grant for $600,000 worth of improvements to the S.G. Nesbitt Memorial Arena that would include a new ice pad. The grant would cover the detail and design of a new ice pad, but its construction would come later at an additional cost.

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Minden Sneaker Day organizer Frank Birchall presents Minden CIBC branch manager Shawn Currie with the Golden Sneaker Award. Of all Minden businesses, CIBC had the greatest percentage of its employees take part in the 15th annual Sneaker Day, which was held last month. Joining Birchall and Currie are walk organizers and CIBC employees.

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   Fronting Bobcaygeon Road
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   Part of Lot 14, Concession A, Township of Hindon
   Fronts on Brady Lake
3. Roll No. 020-000-24300-0000
   Part of Lot 14 and 15, Concession A, Township of Hindon
   Fronts on Brady Lake
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   Part of Lot 14, Concession A, Township of Hindon
   Fronts on Brady Lake
5. Roll No. 051-000-51300-0000
   Part of Lot 27, Concession 4 & 5, Township of Lutterworth
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Council would like to extend their appreciation to the Banner Committee for the 2009 Banner Event and the Minden Horticultural Society for the lovely garden and plantings.

CALL FOR RAFTS...

July 1st Crazy River Raft Race coming up FAST! You can pre-register or show up at Minden Rotary Park... see Township website for details (events)

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The Minden Riverwalk project has been nominated on the Kraft Celebration Tour website...Mindenintes! Please visit ... to cast your vote for "Minden Riverwalk" and help us win $25,000.00! Scroll down and vote...you can comment also further down! Thanks everyone! **http://kraftcelebrationtour.tsn.ca/community/116**

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Rural Connections is a joint venture between The Province of Ontario, The County of Haliburton and Bell Aliant. The purpose of this venture is to bring High Speed Data access to more residents of Haliburton County, not currently being served. For more information, please visit http://www.ruralconnects.ca/haliburton/default.aspx to determine if/when you are eligible.

MEETINGS & EVENTS

June 10	R.D. Lawrence Place will be temporarily closed for 2 weeks due to the construction in and around the library expansion.
June 12	Relay for Life - please support our staff team
June 17-19	"Train the Trainer" Workshop
June 20	Doors Open Tour
June 20 & 21	Sesquicentennial "Spoil Me" Lottery draw (Minden Truck Pull)
June 25	Council, Council Chambers 9AM
June 26	Music by the Gull— 7pm
July 1	Canada Day Celebrations-Downtown Minden
July 1	Canada Fireworks-Minden Fairgrounds
July 1	Riverwalk Bridge – Official Launch 12:30
July 4	Household Hazardous Waste Day Scotch Line
July 4	OPP Golden Helmets (downtown Minden) 2:00 p.m.
July 10-12	Haliburton County Sportsmen's Show – CANCELLED for 2009 / rescheduled for 2010
July 11	Jimmy Flynn Show Doors open 7pm Admission $25.00 call 286-1936

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Minden Needs You! - June 20
Come out and show some Sesqui-Spirit by volunteering for Minden's Doors Open, a township-wide cultural event brought to you by the Town's 150th Committee. During this event, various homes, heritage buildings and unique properties open their doors to the public for FREE. We need help with postering, sign installation, greeting the public, and more. Please contact volunteer coordinator, Lesley Elliott at 286-4450. For more information about Doors Open go to www.doorsopenontraio.on.ca.

Agnes Jamieson Gallery Call for Submission from artists for Around the Frayed Edge exhibition 2010. Visit the Agnes Jamieson Gallery website at www.mindenculturalcentre.com/gallery_frayed.php for application information. Deadline is June 15, 2009.

SESQUICENTENNIAL HOME COMING WELCOME
Display your history connection with Minden at the Home Coming Welcome on Saturday, August 8th from 9:00 am - 12 noon at the Minden Curling Club. Contact Lynda Litwin to book your display booth 286-2911 ext 35 or lynda@remaxhaliburton.com

For more information on any of these events go to www.mindenculturalcentre.com or call 705-286-2808

PUBLIC NOTICE

ATTENTION: MINDEN WATER SYSTEM USERS - Hydrant Flushing
Throughout the Minden Water System Area will occur from June 8, 2009. During this period, please allow the water to run for a few minutes to allow the water to clear as it may be discoloured. If you experience other problems with the water, please contact the Municipal Office at (705) 286-1260 ext 216

OPP GOLDEN HELMETS – Saturday, July 4th @ 2:00 p.m. Join us in our beautiful Village of Minden and be entertained by OPP's finest – The Golden Helmets will entertain you– sections of Bobcaygeon Road will be closed to accommodate this event and further notification/signage will be posted. This is a great free family fun event in Celebration of our Sesquicentennial year and the 100th Anniversary of the Ontario Provincial Police. **For more information please visit http://www.opp.ca/Community/GoldenHelmets/index.htm**

ROAD CLOSURE NOTICE

Please be advised that Council has approved the road closure of a section of Water Street in the front of the Beaver Theatre on June 20th, 2009 from 6:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. as part of their Official Opening and in conjunction with Doors Open Ontario – A Sesquicentennial Celebration Event!

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THANK YOU TO THE ONTARIO TRILLIUM FOUNDATION AND HCDC

On behalf of the Corporation of the Township of Minden Hills and the Friends of Minden Hills (Riverwalk Committee), thanks and appreciation is extended to both the Ontario Trillium Foundation and the Haliburton County Development Corporation for their support in the completion of the Minden Hills "Riverwalk" pedestrian footbridge, installed on May 20, 2009. Without the help of these organizations and the support of the community, this dream could not have been realized. Reeve Jim McMahon, Township of Minden Hills. Email: jmcmahon@mindenhills.ca

FACT OF INTEREST

A famous tinsmith who came from Edinborough, Alec MacIntosh, was known in the area for his sap-buckets, stove pipes and tin pails and he ran one of the first stores in the Village of Minden.

REMINDER - A summer student has been hired to complete a survey of sump pump and water meter connections over the next couple of months in the residential and commercial properties within the Village of Minden. Photo ID will be shown and we would ask your cooperation for this individual to have access to your property for this purpose. Enquires Robert Romberg, Environmental and Property Operations Manager (705) 286-1260 ext 216.

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Envelopes must be clearly marked with "Equipment Tender" and the Item Number.
Forms are available from the Municipal Office.

IN THE EVENT OF A TOWNSHIP RELATED EMERGENCY AFTER HOURS, PLEASE CALL: 1-866-856-3247. FOR ALL OTHER EMERGENCIES DIAL 9-1-1

Algonquin Highlands still after split of Dorset costs

by CHAD INGRAM
Times Staff

Algonquin Highlands is getting closer to establishing a new shared services agreement with Lake of Bays but some Algonquin Highlands councillors are unhappy with what the Muskoka municipality is prepared to offer.

The hamlet of Dorset straddles the line between the two townships. A shared services agreement for community policing costs, as well as the operating costs for the Dorset Heritage Museum and the community ice rink expired in 2006.

In the meantime, Algonquin Highlands has continued to pay for these services, which are utilized by residents of both townships. Last year, the combined cost totalled approximately $42,000.

When Algonquin Highlands Reeve Eleanor Harrison met with representatives from Lake of Bays in late March, she was told Lake of Bays would be willing to pay $14,000 for its share this year.

Last week, Harrison reported that she's met with Lake of Bays again and that the township was now willing to pay $17,500 towards 2009 expenditures.

A letter from Lake of Bays Mayor Janet Peake said that, "In the spirit of cooperation and improved relations, we believe that this offer is reasonable and look forward to another meeting to review the draft agreement at your convenience."

"That's not good enough," said Councillor Carol Moffatt, insisting Lake of Bays should be paying exactly half of the costs. "It seems to be cut and dry."

"They could say, 'You get nothing,'" Harrison responded.

"This to me shows promise," Harrison said, though she added there was still a long way to go.

Moffat was still not pleased. "Good fences make good neighbours," she said.

Algonquin Highlands also pays for the operating costs of the Dorset Recreation Centre, used by Algonquin Highlands and Lake of Bays residents alike. Last year those operating costs were $111,000.

Algonquin Highlands also pays for Dorset's beautification program, which costs about $8,000 a year.

Harrison will be continuing negotiations with Lake of Bays.

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By Elva V. Bates

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· Gooderham United Church Choir
· Last of Readings
· Wrap-Up

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Offering an olive branch

'If we act now, we can choose a different future': MacInnes

by CHAD INGRAM
Times Staff

The president of the Maple, Beech and Cameron Lakes Area Property Owners' Association made a peace offering to Algonquin Highlands councillors on June 4 as he attempted to convince them to change their plans for the expansion of the Stanhope Airport.

"I'm here to offer an olive branch," Paul MacInnes said, before going on to suggest that council change the scope of the project to include only a renovation of the airport's current runway and drop the idea of a new crosswind runway.

MacInnes's organization has been one of the loudest dissenters of the airport expansion project – a $3.6 million, 1,220-foot crosswind runway – calling it fiscally irresponsible and against the will of the majority of residents of Algonquin Highlands.

The association recently obtained legal counsel that believes the township has not followed proper public input procedures with regards to the planned expansion. The association's lawyer believes the township must have a full environmental assessment as well as zoning issues addressed before construction could proceed.

Collectively and individually, MacInnes said, members of the current council have made great contributions to the township over the last several years and noted that Reeve Eleanor Harrison and her husband Jim have jointly given more than 40 years of their lives to civic life in the municipality.

"I understand that many of you will not be running in the next election and it will be sad to see that knowledge disappear," MacInnes said.

The next municipal election is in the fall of 2010. Harrison and Councillor Don Shortreed have indicated they will not be seeking re-election.

MacInnes said that up until the airport project, he had been a supporter of the current council and an admirer of some of its accomplishments, including years of fiscal responsibility.

"I agree with this council on almost everything that has been done," he said.

The one exception, of course, MacInnes added, was the airport project.

MacInnes reiterated that his association was willing to get involved in what could become a lengthy legal battle and said he is "totally confident" that legal battle would extend to the next municipal election.

"Your lawyers are going to tell you that you're going to win; our lawyers are going to tell us that we're going to win," MacInnes said, adding that family friends who are both Supreme Court justices had told him they were confident the fight would surely take the necessary 16 or so months.

"One way or another, this legal fight will stop construction from starting," he said, adding that he knew of a number of single-issue candidates who had already announced their intentions to run in the next municipal election.

"I think there's no doubt that they will get elected."

MacInnes said that since the Building Canada Fund, which is paying for two thirds of the planned project, requires its projects be completed within a two-year window, council was running the risk of having the funding pulled.

He also suggested this would give the township a "black eye" with provincial and federal bureaucrats, thereby jeopardizing funding for future projects.

If council proceeds with the airport project as planned, it will also be leaving a sour taste in mouths of local voters, MacInnes suggested.

"This council's association with the project is what will be remembered as your legacy," he said.

However, MacInnes said that if council is willing to revise the scope of the project to include only an upgrade of the existing runway, it would receive the full support of his association, whose membership includes almost 300 families.

"If we act now, we can choose a different future," he said.

Renovations to the existing runway would be completed along with the construction of a new crosswind runway at the airport.

On their own, these renovations would come with a price tag of about $500,000, the reeve has said.

"I don't think it's a bad idea, but I'm the lone wolf on this issue," said Councillor Carol Moffat, who is the only

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Glare off lakes is a hinderance

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councillor who remains opposed to the project.

Deputy-reeve Tom Gardner said MacInnes's proposed solution would still not solve any of the safety issues at the airport, which created the need for a crosswind runway in the first place.

Gardner said that if the crosswind runway is not built, he felt that lives could eventually be lost at the airport.

"I don't want that as my legacy; it would be your legacy," he told MacInnes.

MacInnes responding by saying that seven pilots he's interviewed who use the airport regularly say its biggest problem is one of visibility as a result of glare off the surrounding lakes.

MacInnes also said the association believes the new runway would not be a true crosswind runway, since its planned location has had to be rotated so much to avoid navigation problems as a result of the surrounding hills.

Gardner said this conclusion was based on the research of "a self-appointed expert" – the association's research director, Andy Muirhead – and therefore could not be taken at face value.

"That's sort of the way I feel as well," Harrison added, before thanking MacInnes for his presentation. "I appreciate what you have brought forward for us to look at."

Gardner then said he had just one more question for MacInnes.

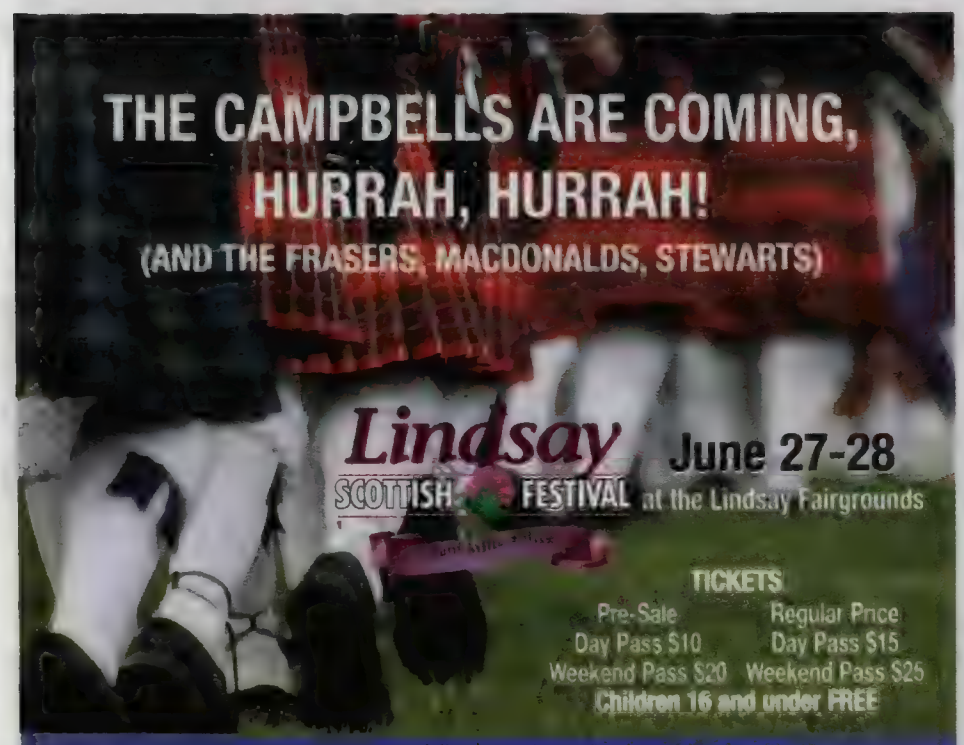
"Are you using the slowness of the legal system to pervert justice and democracy?" he asked.

"Everything we've done has been legal," MacInnes responded. "We will stop this runway expansion from going forward in a legal way. We're not doing anything illegal."

"Neither are we," Gardner shot back.

There was no update on the airport project from staff last week because the township is waiting to hear back from its legal counsel before proceeding with the process.

MBC president Paul MacInnes talks with Algonquin Highlands Deputy-reeve Tom Gardner during a council meeting on June 4. Gardner accused MacInnes of using the slowness of the legal system to "pervert" democracy as his association has hired legal counsel and is attempting to stop the construction of crosswind runway at the Stanhope Airport.



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The fourth annual PALS track and field meet was a sunny success on June 3 at Haliburton Highlands Secondary School.

High school students, parents and members of the Haliburton Legion, who marched the athletes around the track for the opening ceremonies, welcomed more than 140 Special Olympics athletes from nine schools.

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Left: Sara Wood, far right, stops abruptly during the 50 metre race to pick up the hat of her fellow competitor Sara Hudson.

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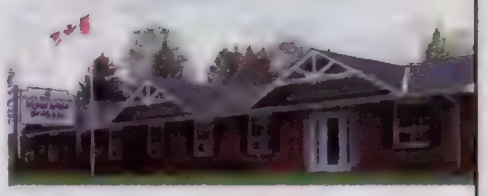

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Neighbour says tree loss and air traffic would lower property value

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way," Kuzyk wrote in a May 22 letter that was reviewed by councillors at their June 4 meeting.

"The proposal considers the removal of my existing property (trees and privacy); the intensity of activities on the adjoining airport property; the negative sonic impact; and visual pollution," the letter reads. "It is my opinion and the opinion of my counsel that my property will become valueless with the addition of the proposed new crosswind runway."

Kuzyk's letter says that his property, which contains a century home, has been informally valued at $750,000.

"I would consider selling perpetual easement rights maintaining maximum height of vegetation in accordance to the engineering report for $500,00," the letter reads. "In addition to this lump sum, I would also require Algonquin Highlands to pay for: any and all additional insurance premiums resulting from being placed under the new runway as it results to an operation of a bed and breakfast; and any and all property taxes to be paid to Dysart et al, due to the diminished capacity for peaceful enjoyment of the property."

Kuzyk has said he plans to open a bed and breakfast for aviators at the house.

His request was met with scoffs from the council table.

"What happened to the B&B?" Councillor Don Shortreed asked.

When Algonquin Highlands sold the property to Kuzyk a number of years ago (while the property is located in Dysart et al, its ownership was retained by Algonquin Highlands), it was with the understanding he would be putting a bed and breakfast on the site.

While Kuzyk maintains this is still his plan, he said unexpectedly high renovation costs have delayed his plans

"It's been a disappointing experience all around with Mr. Kuzyk," Reeve Eleanor Harrison told Shortreed.

While councillors resolved they would send the letter to the township's legal counsel, it was clear councillors were giving no consideration to Kuzyk's lofty offer.

"It's almost funny," Harrison said.

Kuzyk paid county council a visit earlier this spring, under the impression that its members held the ultimate authority as to whether Algonquin Highlands could cross the boundary into Dysart et al to top trees on his property.

However, at that meeting Kuzyk was told by the county's chief administrative officer, Jim Wilson, that the county would have ultimate authority only if the situation involved annexation of lands.

Since the tree topping requires only easements, Wilson told Kuzyk that authority rested with the local municipality.

Councillors for Dysart et al have resolved that they will not be getting involved with the airport project in any way.

While a number of other private properties must have trees topped to allow for the safe operation of the planned crosswind runway, those properties are located within Algonquin Highlands and thus the municipality can take legal recourse to establish easements on those properties.

There was no progress report on the airport project at the June 4 council meeting as the township is still waiting to hear back from its legal counsel regarding a potential legal battle with the Maple, Beech and Cameron Lakes Property Owners' Association.

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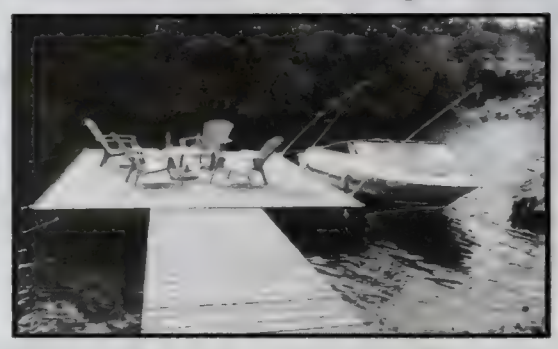

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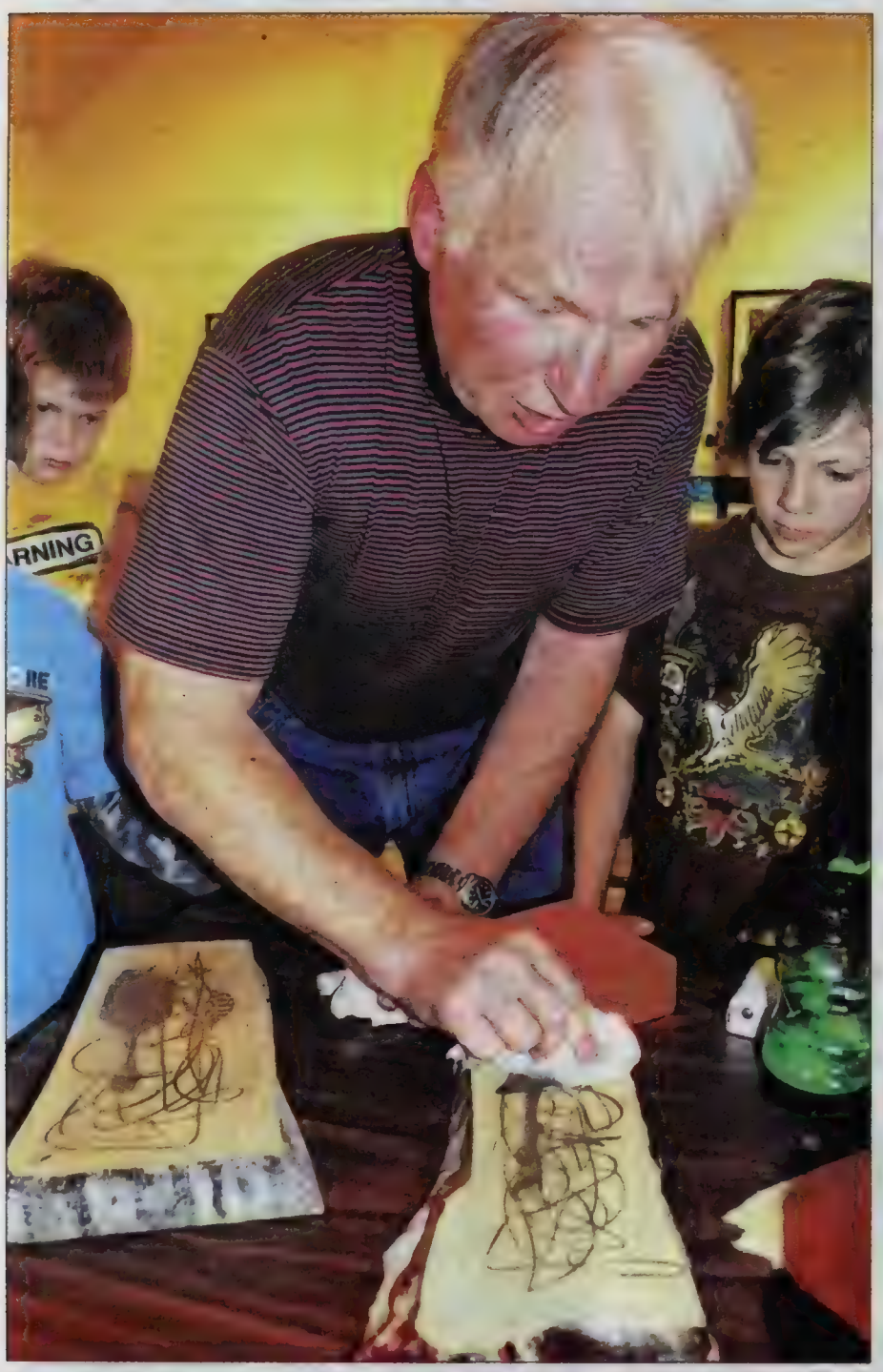

Tamasauskas shows Archie Stouffer students how lithographs are created by etching patterns into stone tablets during a demonstration at the Agnes Jamieson Gallery on June 5.

Tableland 1, above, and *Green Garden,* right, are two of the many works by master printmaker Otis Tamasauskas on dislay in an exhibit entitled reMARKable, currently showing at Minden's Agnes Jamieson Gallery. Tamasauskas, who teaches printmaking at Queen's University and has taught at a number of other institutions as well, uses a combination of lithography and digital mediation to create his works. The prints in the exhibit were inspired by a trip Tamasauskas took to Newfoundland. The artist actually took his printmaking machines with him on the trip.

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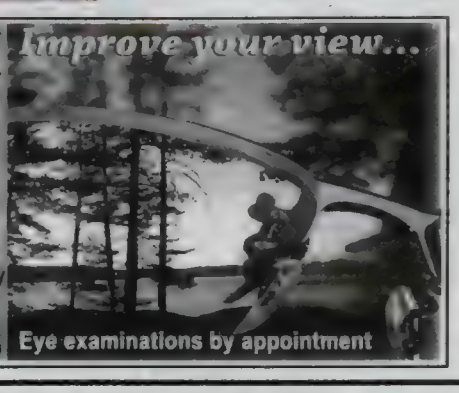

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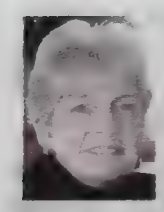

AROUNDTHETOWN

Patti Fleury
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During this sesquicentennial anniversary year it is particularly significant that another important part of Kinmount's history will be receiving special recognition. Saturday, June 13 the Heritage Victoria Advisory Committee for the City of Kawartha Lakes will present a heritage plaque at 2 p.m. to the Gilmore House at 4983 Monck Rd.

Joy Stange remembers as a young girl the house being the centre for so many community activities including meetings of the agriculture society and quilting bees.

One unique quilt made there is part of the reason for this honour being awarded. It is a lovely example of a "signature quilt," the name given to a category of quilts usually created as fund raisers. People would pay a fee to have their names embroidered on the quilt which would then be raffled off to raise additional funds.

This lovely quilt was stitched at Gilmour House by the women of the Kinmount United Church to mark the Silver Jubilee visit to Canada in 1939 by King George VI and Queen Elizabeth. It now hangs in Kinmount United Church in honour of those hands which lovingly created it some 70 years ago. A special invitation to the plaque presentation is extended to former students of Ivy Gilmour who made this house her home for so many years.

Everyone is invited to the Kinmount & District Health Centre open house on Saturday, June 20 with a barbecue starting at 11 a.m. and refreshments provided through to 3 p.m. The official opening of the impressive new addition to the centre will take place at 1 p.m. The Kinmount Pharmacy, now located in the lower level of the health centre, has made its annual customer appreciation day part of this day's overall event. Congratulations to all involved in bringing about this significant achievement.

The Haliburton Highlands Genealogy Group will be hosting an Ancestry.com workshop in the common room of the Minden Hills Cultural Centre on Wednesday, June 24 from 7-9 p.m. The cost for both HHGG members and non-members is $5. Space is limited so do call 286-3588 to reserve your seat.

Here is a great opportunity for our residents and friends to share their talents as part of Kinmount's Heritage Week celebrations. Auditions are open to those from a wide variety of talents and will take place on July 4 and 5 at 10 a.m. at the Kinmount Community Centre. This is not a contest but a showcase. Advance tickets are a saving at $5 from members of the planning committee or at Austin Lumber (Castle Building Centre) with the cost at the door on the evening $8.

The 2nd Annual Kinmount Kountry Jamboree is fast approaching with the gates to the Kinmount Fairground opening at 9 a.m. on Thursday, June 25 and the events continuing through to Sunday evening June 28. For those wishing to camp there is room for over 750 trailers on the campground.

Three trams will be operating day and night throughout the camping area to bring fans to and from the grandstand and arena.

For further convenience breakfast, lunch and dinner will be served in the Arena. For more information and tickets contact Goldie and Marsh Dudman at email:kkj@kinmountfair.net or call 705-488-2540.

From Kinmount Legion branch 441 a reminder that Tuesday lunches are served there from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. The cost is $6 for a hot meal and $5 for soup & sandwich with no charge for children 6 and under.

Bingo is held every Friday at 6:45 p.m. with a $300 "must go" jackpot. On Saturday, June 27 the Legion is having its annual giant yard and bake sale and barbecue. Vendor tables are available for only $8. Donated items for the sale would be much appreciated. Please call Eileen at 488-2026 to book a table or arrange to drop off donated items for the sale.

Burnt River United Church will hold its annual strawberry supper on Saturday, June 27 at the Burnt River Community Centre from 3:30 to 7 p.m. with both hot and cold entrees and all kinds of strawberries for dessert! The cost is $12.50 for adults, children 7 to 12 years $3.50 with kindergarten and younger free.

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Members of the Minden and District Horticultural Society were filling barrels and flowerboxes in downtown Minden with a variety of flowers and plants on the morning of June 5. Society members volunteer to do the planting each year.
Above: Audrey Heywood plants flowers at the foot of Minden's cenotaph.

Barb Koch waters freshly planted flower boxes along the downtown bridge.

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COUNTY OF HALIBURTON

NOTICE OF PUBLIC OPEN HOUSE CONCERNING A REVIEW OF THE COUNTY OFFICIAL PLAN

TAKE NOTICE THAT the Council of the Corporation of the County of Haliburton will hold a Public Open House on

DATE: **Tuesday June 30th, 2009**
TIME: **1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.**
PLACE: **County of Haliburton Administration Building**
ADDRESS: **11 Newcastle Street, Minden, Ontario**

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose of the Public Open House will be to consider an update to the Official Plan for the County of Haliburton pursuant to the provisions of Section 26 of the *Planning Act*, R.S.O. 1990 c. P.13, as amended.

This Open House represents the commencement of the public process for the review to update the County Official Plan. The Open House will provide background information to community members on the County's Official Plan Review process. County Staff and members of the Consultant Team will be on hand to receive comments and answer questions.

WRITTEN SUBMISSIONS: Written submissions are welcome. Residents and other interested parties are encouraged to submit written comments to the undersigned.

Dated at the Township of Minden this 28th day of May, 2009.

For additional information please contact:
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Hannah Casper was the hostess for the May meeting of the Minden Women's Institute on the 20th. There were 14 members present and the roll call was "how to handle unwanted telephone calls." All the members responded to this, stating that they just hang up. Two or three members stated that it is no good trying to talk to the person on the other end of the line because it appears that the message is recorded and there is no way that you can get a word in edgewise. Seems our ladies are pretty smart on this subject. The secretary, treasurer and card convenor gave their reports and the bills were approved for payment. The president gave a report on the annual general meeting for Victoria East District and read an invitation for the members to attend the 100th anniversary of the Pleasant Valley Branch at the Anglican church in Fenelon Falls at 1.30 p.m. on June 9. Also the short course was in Baddow on June 4. Del Williams gave a report of the current events for the last two months, all very interesting. Karin Warren spoke on her experiences when her family immigrated to Canada when she was seven years old. She said she cried a lot because she didn't want to leave her grandmother in Germany, and when she finally met her father after two years, she didn't know him. Karin invited other immigrants to tell their experiences, which was very enlightening. We discussed the program for next year and a few changes were made before we sent it to print. Grace was sung and we all enjoyed tea, coffee and snacks provided this month by Hannah and Clara. Our June meeting will be our pot luck lunch at the Minden United Church at 11.30 a.m. on the 17th. For information call Pam at 754-2564 or Mary at 286-1158.

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Township of Algonquin Highlands

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PUBLIC NOTICE
Applicant: John WOODCOCK
Part Lot 10 Concession 4, Boshkung Lake
Geographic Township of Stanhope

WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Algonquin Highlands has declared part of an original shore road allowance lying in front of Part Lot 10 Concession 4, Boshkung Lake, in the geographic Township of Stanhope, in the Township of Algonquin Highlands, County of Haliburton, to be surplus.

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Municipal Corporation of the Township of Algonquin Highlands proposes to enact a By-Law to stop-up, close and convey to the abutting property owner(s) that part of the original shore road allowance lying in front of Lot 10 Concession 4 described as all and singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Geographic Township of Stanhope in the County of Haliburton and being composed of the following:

FIRSTLY: THAT part of the original shore road allowance lying in front of Lot 10 Concession 4, geographic Township of Stanhope described as Part 2 on a Plan deposited in the Registry Office for the Registry Division of Haliburton County as Plan 19R-8946.

The proposed By-Law will come before the said Council for consideration at it's regular meeting at the Algonquin Highlands Municipal Office, 1123 North Shore Road, on the 18th day of June 2009 at the hour of 9:00 a.m., and at that time, the Council will hear in person or by his/her counsel, solicitor or agent any person who claims that his land will be prejudicially affected and who applies to be heard.

Dated: May 29, 2009

Angie Bird, A.M.C.T., CMM 1
Municipal Clerk – Planning Administrator
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Don't wear the new running shoes at Relay for Life

STANHOPELIFE

Gina Atkinson
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Welcome back to all seasonal guests! We will not call you wimps for not braving winter with us but extend a very welcome back. I wish you a very glorious summer (when it finally happens) and I will not grumble about the line-ups at the grocery checkout or increased traffic on our roads. It's just great to have you back! Enjoy!

It's taken me 13 years and I confess I am now a believer. For years, I have been told about the rule about not planting until after the full moon in May. Previously I connected it only to werewolves and romance. Things have changed and yes everybody, you were right!

Just a reminder that this Friday night is the Relay for Life marathon between the hours of 7 p.m. to 7 a.m. Saturday morning. It will be held at the Haliburton Highlands Secondary School.

It isn't too late to come into Pine Reflections with pledges for either Sharon Martella or I who are going to attempt the walk. This is totally the wrong time to break in new running shoes! As you may remember Belle, my beloved pooch, has left me shoeless.

Let's band together and fight cancer. Your donation will make a difference!

You may also choose to visit the Relay for Life website and purchase a luminary.

See you there.

The lucky winner for this month's Haliburton Community Living Travel Lottery is Shirley Whetstone of West Guilford. She had a choice of a trip to Ottawa or $500 cash. Congratulations.

Have a nice week.

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If you are, interested in joining our team, please send your resume by June 19, 2009 to:
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Fish hatchery visit part of busy month

SENIORLEAGUE

News from Hyland Crest

Rain all you want, you'll never slow us down at Hyland Crest!!

The month of May has been quite busy for us here. We wouldn't have even noticed all the rain if we didn't stop to have a rest once in a while. Our month was full of amazing entertainment from all our fantastic musical groups such as Cooper, Schell and Owen, jammin' nights with April, Jeff Barry with Friends, Johnny Burk, Gord Kidd, Olde Tyme Tunes and the toe-tapping Hot Flashes. When we weren't dancing, you could find us at our Tea Parties sharing goodies and conversations with our friends from the Minden Bible Church as well as with the ladies from the Minden Horticultural Society.

We'd also like to mention Mr. Bones and the Happy Wanderers who came in to share their talents and soon had us singing along and laughing, which as you know keeps us all young.

One day a group of us also got a chance to visit the Haliburton Fish Hatchery. After a brief explanation of the hatchery's purpose we got to get up close and personal with all the little lake trout in the large bath tubs. We are pleased to report that none of us had to actually get in the tubs. Thankfully they were at a height that we could easily peer into without disturbing them. This month we experienced yet another mouth-watering lunch at the Minden Legion, the staff there work so hard to fill our bellies and our hearts. Your hospitality is always outstanding.

What did we do on the weekends you ask? Well we were either playing bingo with our committed group of bingo enthusiasts, Pearl, Maxine, Sue, Joan, Theresa and Brad, or visiting with our local friend Jack. When we weren't visiting we would be partaking in our movie matinee held by our wonderful family council and if that's not enough, we also received a visit from the always wonderful Allsaw Gospel Singers.

Hazel Flowers and Muriel Bullivant were fascinated by their tour of the Haliburton fish hatchery.

We would like to send a big THANK YOU to all the volunteers who took the time to visit with us, bring us goodies, laugh with us, get us up dancing, take us back in time with old movies and for yet again reminding us that we live in wonderful community filled with such caring and talented people.

We would also like to send our condolences to the families of Shirley Trimble, Michael Gross, Bruce Jeffery, Norma Cook and Tom Coghlan. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

We could share even more but we don't want to make you too jealous!

Here's to more sun in the month of June and all the fun times that'll definitely accompany it.

Until then take care and God Bless.

Dorset house free to a good home

The older house behind the LCBO is being offered free to anyone who would like to move it to another location. The house is over 100 years old and was owned by Jerry Clayton, then his son Harry, then Bill and Barb Clark and now Brad Robinson. It has four bedrooms and two bathrooms and was moved once before from its original location farther up the hill. The "taker" would be responsible for moving the house and filling in the hole, and would assume all costs and liabilities for doing so. Contact Brad Robinson 766-2415(w) or 766-9072(h) for more information.

Paint Lake resident Herb Hickling has been asked to represent Ridout ward on an advisory committee for the Lake of Bays. The committee will help in the development of a strategic plan over the next five years.

In order to develop the plan, Herb will be assisting with obtaining the views, values and suggestions from Lake of Bays residents about what is most important to them. This will assist the township when budgeting tax dollars over the next five years.

What is important to you? Is it roads and infrastructure, recreational facilities, medical services, affordable housing, jobs and commercial opportunities or something else not mentioned?

Over the next several weeks, residents will be invited to complete online surveys, written questionnaires and to attend public meetings. As Herb says, "It's your tax dollars so have your say."

Brad Robinson will give this house to anyone willing to move it off the property behind the LCBO.

Zion United Church - Carnarvon

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Saturday, June 13, 2009, 7:30 pm

Zion Church in Carnarvon presents an evening of Live Music on our stage featuring Greg Hamilton and Friends, The Tri-Vocals and The Kidd Country Band

This is a community fundraiser to install wells in communities like ours in India. The H.A.V. E Help A Village Effort programme is supported by our federal government as they put up $3 for each dollar we raise. Each well costs $1500. Zion Church is quarterbacking this day/night of fundraising, as we will be receiving updates throughout the evening from St. Johns, NFLD and Vancouver, B.C. It's very possible we could raise enough funds to supply fresh drinking water for 8-10,000 people.

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AMENDED REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

For the Riverwalk and Community Trail Enhancement Project
Request for Proposal No: 2009-CSD-01

The Township of Minden Hills is looking for a consulting firm to oversee the design and implementation of enhancements to the Riverwalk pathway and community trail infrastructure. This project must be completed by March 31, 2011 to comply with the approved federal and provincial funding assistance. Lowest or any bid not necessarily accepted.

Key dates:

1. Proponents' meeting (mandatory): June 12, 1:30pm, 2nd floor, Twsp Admin Office Boardroom.
2. Closing Date for Submission: Tuesday June 30, 2009, 12:00PM EDT. (to be opened at 4:00 p.m. in the second floor boardroom, Township Office)
3. Anticipated Contract Term: July 2009 – April 2011

SEALED Proposals must be clearly marked and addressed as follows:

Attn: Community Trail Project Contract Manager RFP Number: 2009-CSD-01
Township of Minden Hills, Second Floor, PO Box 359, 7 Milne Street, Minden ON K0M 2K0

For full RFP package, please visit www.mindenhills.ca or contact:

Contract Manager:	Rick Cox, Director of Community Services
Telephone:	705-286-1260 ext 220
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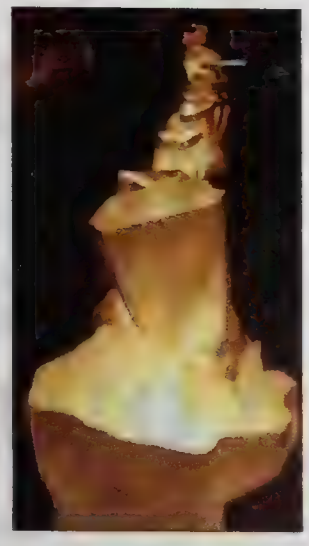
Haliburton County's Relay for Life 2009

Help raise money in the fight against cancer this weekend at the Haliburton High School, this Friday at 7 p.m. to 7 a.m.on Saturday.



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Saturday June 13 starting at 10:00 a.m. sharp in the Gazebo, downtown Minden.
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community calendar

What's happening in the County

Having an event this summer? List it for free in our Summer Guide!
2009SummerGuide@gmail.com

Post your event for free on the web. Go to: www.mindentimes.ca or to the UR Haliburton Highlands Community Calendar link at: www.haliburtonecho.ca

- June 9: First Ride Program The First Student Canada bus will be visiting the centres to offer the "First Ride" program at the Haliburton OEYC at 10:30. If you have a child starting school in September this is a great opportunity to learn the school bus safety rules and go on school bus ride together. Please pre-register 457-2989.
- June 9: Guided Mountain Bike Ride, 6:45 – 9 pm approx. Meet at Haliburton Town Docks - No registration required. For teens and adults. Come for an off-road mountain bike ride with Jamie McMahon. This ride will be a couple of hours in length and will be geared for experienced riders. It will include road riding to a destination and then an off road experience. Expect to get muddy and wet.
- June 9: The Haliburton Highlands Genealogy Group meeting will be held in the Common Room of the Minden Hills Cultural Centre - Doors open at 6pm. The speaker at 7pm will be professional Genealogist Tammy Tipler-Priolo whose topic will be "Where, oh where, can my ancestors be in Ontario birth, marriage and death records?" Cost is $5 for non-members. Refreshments available. For more information contact Gail Leach-Wunker at 286-2225.
- June 10: The Haliburton Highlands Quilt Guild at 1:00 pm - at St. George's Anglican Church, Haliburton on Mountain St. Garnet Smalley will present a slide show of Russian, Irish and African quilts. All are welcome.
- June 11: The HHGG will host professional Genealogist Tammy Tipler-Priolo leading an informal round-table discussion on different aspects of genealogy - from 10:30am to noon, in the Common Room of the Minden Hills Cultural Centre. Cost is $5 for both HHGG members and non-members. Space is limited. Call 286-3588 to reserve your seat. Come and ask Tammy a question you may have about your genealogy research.
- June 11: The Scott Woods Show, "Stay Tuned" at the Archie Stouffer Elementary School in Minden – Join us at 7:30 pm and is sponsored by the Minden United Church. Tickets are available at Minden Pharmasave and at Kitchens Etcetera in Haliburton – Adults $20, Children (5-12 yrs) $10, and Children under 5, free at the door.
- June 12: Hearing Loss? Is it a Normal Part of Aging? - Speakers Gord Kidd and Elinor St. Louis. Join us at the Haliburton United Church from 10 am to 12 pm. For more information call Sabrina 455-9220 to register for this free information session.
- June 12: Circle of Hope – Hospice Kawartha Lakes hosts a drop-in grief support group for the newly bereaved from 12 – 1:30 pm at 112 McLaughlin Road, Lindsay. Light lunch provided. For more information call 324-2811 ex 3
- June 13: Minden Family Cycling Adventure, 10:30 am – 12, Meet at the Minden Hills Cultural Centre, 176 Bobcaygeon Rd. - Register with the RD Lawrence Centre, 286-2298 -Come and take a tour of R.D. Lawrence Place, a sustainable building and learning centre that opened in 2008 with exhibits and documentaries dedicated to R.D. Lawrence. After the tour, go on a bicycle tour to see some of the historic buildings in Minden, which is celebrating it's 150th anniversary this year. This is an easy family friendly ride suitable for children. We will have an opportunity to stop for ice cream during the route! Admission by donation.
- June 13: Treasures n' Trash - Everyone's favourite community yard sale takes place Saturday June 13th 8am – 2pm - Vintage goods, antiques, used and handcrafted items including original art and handicrafts, art supplies, yard goods, jewellery and more! The Rails End Snack Car will be on hand serving up early morning breakfast and lunch. Special event of the day from noon : Grand Opening of the Rails End Garden at noon with Abbey North Drummers, Chuck O'Neil and Noelia Marziali, live music, face painting, Michou the Clown. Loads of fun for everyone! To book a space, please call Rails End Gallery & Arts Centre 457-2330 www.railsendgallery.com. This event is a fundraiser for community arts programming at the Gallery.
- June 14: West Guilford - Eagle Lake Tour, Meet at the West Guilford Community Centre – 9:00 am - No registration required, Come and cycle a favourite loop of cyclists in Haliburton. This 23 km trip will be at a moderate pace and is perfect for new riders. The ride will start and end at the community centre. The group will make a short stop at Maple Moon en route. It will take 2 to 3 hours so bring along water and snacks.
- June 15: Hearing Loss? Is it a Normal Part of Aging? - Speakers Gord Kidd and Elinor St. Louis. Join us at the Minden Highland Crest Board Room from 10 am to 12 pm. For more information call Sabrina 455-9220 to register for this free information session.

Events listings are provided **FREE for non-profit groups on a space-available basis.** While we endeavour to accommodate requests for publication, we cannot guarantee that all requests for listings will appear. Requests should be faxed to The Echo at 457-3275, emailed to editor@haliburtonecho.ca., or faxed to The Minden Times at 286-4768, emailed to editor@mindentimes.ca.or brought in to the office.
Please submit events by the Thursday prior to the requested publication date.
NOTE: This calendar is not a comprehensive listing of all events taking place in the area. Please check the classified pages, display advertising and articles appearing elsewhere in the Echo for more information on events in the Highlands. For more Ongoing Community Events please see the Weekender.

The sky's the limit for Young Eagles

Photos and story by Matt James

Not many parents can tell their kids they've seen their town from up in the sky, so when the Haliburton Stanhope airport hosted the Young Eagles event on June 6 and 7 they were going to make darn sure their kids didn't miss out.

In 1953 the Experimental Aircraft Association (EAA) was founded. Today more than 170,000 EAA member pilots have given 1.3 million kids their first experience of flying and seeing the place they live from the air.

It's an exhilarating experience. Sitting inside the tiny aircraft you swear you could punch through the walls that separate you from the sky, especially when it's slightly windy. At times it feels like you're riding a good rollercoaster.

Just ask eight-year-old Kade Bain of Eagle Lake. While fortunate to be sitting beside a lovely young lady from Toronto, she unfortunately wasn't feeling very well and required the use of the little bag tucked into the back of the front seat in front of her.

Barry Hart is a Haliburton pilot who helped bring the Young Eagles program to Stanhope Airport. He was also our pilot for the day and reassured the young lady that sickness is often part and parcel of a first flight. And second. And third. At least for Hart it was.

But Kade barely seemed to notice; he was too busy taking in the majestic view before him, the different shapes of the big blue lakes and the green sea of trees that stretched far beyond his sight.

Before the kids could go up in the airplane they were required to walk around an aircraft and learn about how a general airplane operates and functions.

On Saturday eight volunteer pilots loaded and unloaded their planes. Flight after flight the pilots got runway clearance, permission for take off, and enough speed down the runway before floating weightlessly in the air, climbing as high as 3,500 feet off the ground.

What a way to spend a weekend.

Top photo: The Gull Rver threads its way through the village of Minden.
Clockwise from above: Having completed their flight Zakary Shantz, left, and Nikki Kelly are now certified Young Eagles. Derek Knowles teaches the kids about the airplane and what makes it fly. Emma Cox, 10, of Minden gives the thumbs up before climbing into the airplane. Flying since 1992, Barry Hart is not only a great pilot but the organizer of the Young Eagles program in Haliburton County.

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U-Links hiring a Community Researcher

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For more information or a full job description call 705-286-2411 or e-mail: admin.ulinks@on.aibn.com.

Please submit a cover letter and resume to the attention of Heather Reid, Director via mail, fax, or e-mail by June 12, 2009, 4:30 p.m.
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AND TAKE NOTICE that after the last day named, the assets of the said Estate will be distributed among the persons hereto entitled having regard only to the claims of which the solicitor for the Estate Trustee shall have notice.

DATED AT Haliburton, Ontario this 27th day of May, 2009 by BISHOP AND ROGERS, FRASER A. ROGERS, Barrister and Solicitor, P.O. Box 472, Haliburton, Ontario, K0M 1S0 - Solicitor for the Estate Trustee of the Estate of **BRIAN LAVERNE ANDERSON.**

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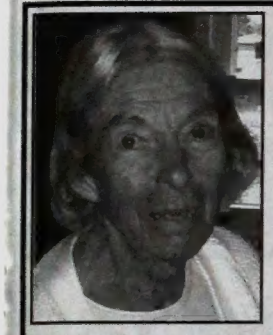

Helen Howe (nee Hopkins)

Helen Yardley Howe passed away peacefully on April 4th, 2009 in Georgetown, Ontario in her 93rd year. Born in Kinmount, Ontario on July 29th, 1916 Helen was the only child of Gordon B. Hopkins (local merchant) and Anna Pearl Hopkins (school teacher). Helen graduated High School from Lindsay Collegiate and became a Registered Nurse, training and nursing at Ross Memorial in Lindsay, then onto Toronto General Hospital before starting her family.

Helen was married to James Edward Carson Howe (of Janetville, Ontario) on August 19th, 1944 in Toronto. Helen is survived by her loving and faithful husband of 64 years Carson Howe, as well as her son David Hopkins Howe (wife Shirley) and her daughter Cynthia Helen Howe (husband Rob McMulkin). "Nana" is also survived by her 5 grandchildren: Andrea Schwieg (Joe), Robert Howe (Izabela), Heather Howe, John and Maureen McMulkin and her 3 great-grandchildren; Justin and John Howe and Owen Schwieg. We will all miss her pleasant charm and simple common sense approach to life and those around her. We will always remember the bright twinkle in her eyes, her joyful caring ways and her lovely piano playing and her beautiful laugh. Helen will be sadly missed by her family and all who knew her.

Helen lived a full and active life and knew how to enjoy her time with us. She was an avid volunteer while in Toronto – earning recognition from the Canadian Red Cross as well as being active with various church groups at Wilmer Heights United Church in the Scarborough/Wexford community. She was a member of the church choir for many years. Socially, Helen was a member of Avonlea Curling Club, Toronto. In her retirement years at Davis Lake, she was an active member of the Minden Lawn Bowling Club and former Ontario Senior Games champion. Helen also enjoyed mixed doubles tennis with the La Casa Tennis Club while wintering in Florida.

While Helen's life took her to Lindsay for her education, then Toronto to work and live while raising her family, then onto "snowbirding" on the Gulf Coast of Florida at La Casa (near Venice, Fla) for 23 wonderful years, before residing full time in Georgetown, Ontario for her final few years. Throughout, she was always an avid cottager on Davis Lake in Haliburton. Helen never missed a summer at Davis Lake for the first 90 years of her life - where she loved to swim, go berry picking, canoe and tend to her flowers and enjoy the beauty of the natural environment.

After all her years and accomplishments, Helen will now come back home to Kinmount. Family and friends are invited to attend a memorial service to be held at the Kinmount United Church on Saturday July 11th at 11 am, to honour and remember her life. A luncheon reception will follow at the Kinmount Community Centre (the former Hopkins Hall). The immediate family will participate in the interment of her ashes at the family plot in the Kinmount Cemetery, immediately following the luncheon reception.

In lieu of flowers, charitable "in memoriam" donations would be appreciated by the family and can be made online (or by donation envelopes) to Helen and Carson's favourite charities: The Heart & Stroke Foundation of Canada or The Canadian Cancer Society.

Announcements

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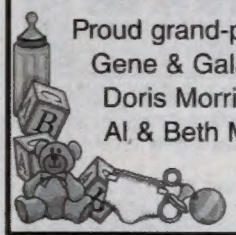

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Graduations

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of his granddaughter
Gillian Graham
from Mount Allison University in Sackville, N.B. with a B.A. in Geography. Gillian has been accepted to do a M.A. at the University of Pretoria in South Africa. Gillian is the daughter of Jane Adams and Gordon Graham of Waterkloof Ridge, South Africa.

Deaths

BENNETT, Raymond Edward - Passed away suddenly in St. Catharines on Tuesday, June 2, 2009. At the age of 45. Loving husband of Barb and dear father of Dillon. Beloved son of Beverley and the late Edward Bennett. Dear brother of Linda (Brent) and uncle to Jennifer Matthews. Fondly remembered by Randy McNabb and Cindy Ackley, Rick and Linda Mason and by his aunts, uncles, cousins and by his numerous friends. Friends are invited to visit the family at the **GORDON A. MONK FUNERAL HOME Ltd.** 127 Bobcaygeon Rd., P.O. Box 427, Minden, Ontario K0M 2K0 on Friday 2-4 and 7-9 pm. Funeral Service in the Chapel on Saturday, June 6, 2009 at 11:00 am. Interments at Minden Cemetery. Memorial Donations to the Canadian Diabetes Association would be appreciated by the family. **www.gordonmonkfuneralhome.com**

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MacDUFF, Clara Jean (nee Billings) - Passed away peacefully at the Pinecrest Nursing Home in Bobcaygeon on Sunday, June 7, 2009 at the age of 84. Beloved wife of the late George David MacDuff. Dear mother of Gwen, Bradley, Sharlene, Georgena, Bentley, Sheila, Byron, George and Lawrence. Fondly remembered by her many grandchildren, great grandchildren, family and friends. Friends are invited to visit the family at the **GORDON A. MONK FUNERAL HOME LTD.** 127 Bobcaygeon Rd., P.O. Box 427, Minden, Ontario K0M 2K0 on Wednesday from 2-4 and 7-9 pm. The Funeral Service will be held in the chapel Thursday, June 11, 2009 at 1:00 pm. Interment at the Glamorgan Cemetery, Gooderham. Memorial Donations to the Charity of your choice would be appreciated. www.gordonmonkfuneralhome.com

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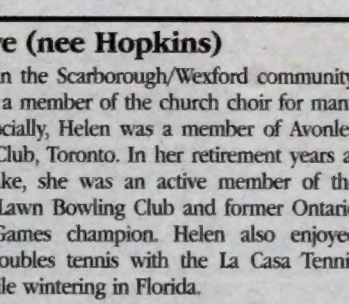

Melissa Forrest
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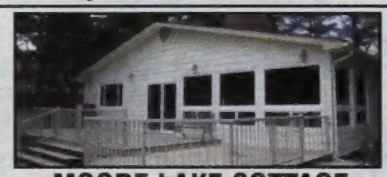

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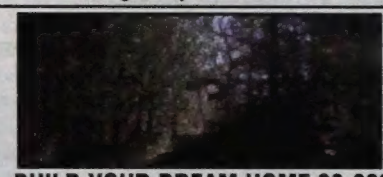

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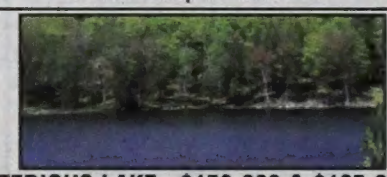

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